

Program Change Request

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Viewing: : **Earth Science, BS/Curriculum and Instruction, Accelerated MEd
(Secondary Education Earth Science Concentration)**

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Using this Program [Earth Science, BS](#)

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No

Effective Catalog: 2020-2021

Program Level: Undergraduate & Graduate (BAMs)

Program Type: Bachelor's/Accelerated Master's

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Registrar's Office
Use Only –
Program Start Term

Concentration(s):

In Workflow

1. Registrar-
Programs:Workflow
Review
2. E1 Initial Program
Review
3. AOES Committee
4. AOES Chair
5. ESP Chair
6. SOED Division
Director
7. SC Curriculum
Committee
8. SOED School
Curriculum
Committee Chair
9. SC Associate Dean
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11. SC CAT Editor
12. E1 CAT Editor
13. Assoc Provost-
Undergraduate
14. Assoc Provost-
Graduate
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Approval Path

1. 11/21/19 10:47 am
Tory Sarro (vsarro):

Approved for
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Programs:Workflow
Review

2. 11/21/19 11:26 am

Iris Robinson

(irobins1):

Approved for E1

Initial Program

Review

3. 11/22/19 7:33 am

Barry Klinger

(bklinger):

Approved for AOES

Committee

4. 11/22/19 8:20 am

Jim Kinter (ikinter):

Approved for AOES

Chair

5. 11/25/19 3:32 pm

A. Alonso Aguirre

(aaguirr3):

Approved for ESP

Chair

6. 11/25/19 3:48 pm

Rebecca Fox (rfox):

Approved for SOED

Division Director

History

1. Oct 30, 2017 by
clmig-jwehrheim

| | Associated Concentrations | Registrar's Office Use Only: Concentration Code | | | | |
|------------------------------------|--|---|--|------------|---|--|
| 1 | Secondary Education Earth Science | SECS | | | | |
| College/School: | College of Education & Human Development | | | | | |
| Department / Academic Unit: | Graduate School of Education | | | | | |
| Jointly Owned Program? | Yes | | | | | |
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| Justification | To update the course prefixes that have been changed from EDCI to SEED. | | | | | |

Catalog Published Information

Accelerated
Description/Dual
Degree
Description:

Earth Science, BS/Curriculum and Instruction, Accelerated MEd (Secondary Education Earth Science concentration)

Overview

Highly-qualified undergraduates may be admitted to the bachelor's/accelerated master's option and obtain both a [BS in Earth Science](#) and an [MEd in Curriculum and Instruction](#) (concentration in secondary education earth science) in an accelerated time-frame after satisfactory completion of 149 credits. See [AP.6.7 Bachelor's/Accelerated Master's Degree](#) for policies related to this program.

This accelerated option is offered jointly by the [Department of Atmospheric, Oceanic and Earth Sciences](#) and the [Graduate School of Education](#).

Students in an accelerated degree program must fulfill all university requirements for the master's degree. For policies governing all graduate degrees, see [AP.6 Graduate Policies](#).

Application Requirements

Applicants to all graduate programs at George Mason University must meet the admission standards and application requirements for graduate study as specified in [Graduate Admissions Policies](#). For information specific to this accelerated master's program, see [Application Requirements and Deadlines](#).

Accelerated Option Requirements Requirements

Students **must** complete the following courses in their senior year:

| Senior | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Fall Semester | Credits | Spring Semester | Credits |
| EDCI-573 | 3 | EDCI-673 | 3 |
| EDUC-672 | 3 | EDRD-619 | 3 |
| - | 0 | - | 0 |
| Total Credits | 0 | | |

| Senior | | | |
|-----------------|----------|-----------------|----------|
| Fall Semester | Credits | Spring Semester | Credits |
| <u>SEED 540</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>EDRD 619</u> | <u>3</u> |
| <u>SEED 573</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>SEED 673</u> | <u>3</u> |
| | 6 | | 6 |

Total Credits 12

While undergraduate students, accelerated master's students are able to apply two of the courses listed above to both the bachelor's and master's degrees. These courses are considered advanced standing for the MEd. A minimum grade of B must be earned to be eligible to count as advanced standing. The other two courses are taken as reserve graduate credit and do not apply to the undergraduate degree. Early in their final undergraduate semester, students must submit the Bachelor's/Accelerated Master's Transition Form to the CEHD Admissions Office and specify which of the four courses are to be designated as advanced standing and reserve graduate credit.

Additional Attachments

Reviewer Comments

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Is this course required of all students in this degree program?

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